FOUR ORDINANCES OF THE LORDS & COMMONS Assembled in PARLIAMENT, Concerning the Weekly Assessment which is to be divided betwixt the Landlord and the Tenant.

Published for the better satisfaction of all people whom it may concern.

Ordered by the Lords and Commons assembled in Parliament, That these Ordinances be forthwith Printed and Published.

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An Ordinance of both Houſes of Parliament for the ſpeedy raiſing and levying of money for the maintenance of the Army raiſed by the Parliament, and other great Affaires of the Common-wealth, by a weekly aſſeſſment upon every County.

THe Lords and Commons now aſſembled in Parliament, being fully ſatisfied and reſolved in their conſciences, that they have lawfully taken up Armes, and may and ought to continue the ſame for the neceſſary defence of themſelves & the Parliament from violence and deſtruction, and of this Kingdom from foraign invaſion, & for the bringing of notorious offenders to condign puniſhment, which are the only cauſes for which they have raiſed, and do continue an Army and Forces, which cannot poſſibly be maintained, nor the Kingdom ſubſiſt without the ſpeedy raiſing of large and conſiderable ſums of Money proportionable to the great expences which now this Kingdom is at for the ſupporting of the ſaid Army, and for the ſaving of the whole Kingdom, our Religion, Laws, and Liberties from utter ruine and deſtruction; which that it may be done with as much eaſe and indifferency to the good ſubject as the exigent of the times will permit, the ſaid Lords and Commons do Ordain, And be it Ordained by the ſaid Lords and Commons in this preſent Parliament aſſembled, That for the intents and purpoſes aforeſaid, the ſeveral and weekly ſums of money hereafter in this Ordinance mentioned, ſhall be charged, rated, taxed and levyed upon all and every the ſeveral Counties, Cities, Towns, Liberties, Places, and perſons hereafter mentioned, according to the proportions, rates and diſtributions in this preſent Ordinance expreſſed, the ſame to be paid in weekly to the ſeveral Collectors appointed by this Ordinance for the receiving hereof; That is to ſay,

Upon the city of *London* the weekly ſum of ten thouſand pounds.

The city of *Weſtminſter* with the Liberties thereof, and all the Pariſhes and houſes which are now within the weekly Bill of Mortality, within the county of *Middleſex* (and not within the juriſdiction of the Lord Major) the ſum of twelve hundred and fifty pounds.

The county of *Middleſex*, beſides the city of *Weſtminſter*, with the other places beforementioned, the weekly ſum of 750 pounds.

The county of *Kent*, with the cities there, the weekly ſum of one thouſand two hundred and fifty pounds.

The county of *Eſſex*, the weekly ſum of 1125 pounds.

The county of *Surrey*, beſides the Borough of *Southwark*, the weekly ſum of four hundred pounds.

The Borough of *Southwark*, the Pariſhes of *Redderith*, *Newington Buts*, and *Lambeth*, at the ſum of three hundred pounds.

The county of *Suſſex*, the weekly ſum of 625 pounds.

The county of *Hertford*, the weekly ſum of 450 pounds.

The county of *Cambridge*, the weekly ſum of 375 pounds.

The Iſle of *Ely*, the weekly ſum of 147 pounds ten ſhillings.

The county of *Suffolk*, the weekly ſum of 1250 pounds.

The county of *Norfolk*, with the city of *Norwich*, the weekly ſum of one thouſand two hundred and fifty pounds.

The county of *Huntington*, the weekly ſum of 220 l.

The county of *Buckingham*, the weekly ſum of 420 l.

The county of *Bedford*, the weekly ſum of 250 l.

The county of *Lincoln*, with the city of *Lincoln*, the weekly ſum of 812 l. 10 s.

The county of *Rutland*, the weekly ſum of 62 l. 10 s.

The county and Town of *Notingham*, the weekly ſum of 187 pounds ten ſhillings.

The county of *Berks*, the weekly ſum of 550 l.

The county of *Cheſter*, the weekly ſum of 175 l.

The county of the city of *Cheſter*, the weekly ſum of 62 l.

The county of *Cornwal*, the weekly ſum of 625 l.

The county of *Derby*, the weekly ſum of 175 l.

The county of *Devon*, the weekly ſum of 1800 l.

The county of the city of *Exon*, the weekly ſum of 50 l. 10 s.

The county of *Dorſet*, the weekly ſum of 437 l. 10 s.

The Town and county of Pool, the weekly ſum of 5 l.

The county of *York*, the weekly ſum of 1062 l. 10 s.

The county and city of *York*, the weekly ſum of 62 pounds 10 ſhillings.

The Town and county of *Kingſton* upon *Hull*, the weekly ſum of 25 pounds.

The county of *Glouceſter*, the weekly ſum of 750 pounds.

The county of the city of *Glouceſter*, the weekly ſum of 62 pounds 10 ſhillings.

Hampſhire, with the city of *Wincheſter*, *Southampton*, the Iſle of *Wight*, the weeky ſum 750 pounds.

The county of *Hereford* and city, the weekly ſum of 437l. 10 s.

The county Palatine of *Lancaſter*, the weekly ſum of 500 pounds.

The county of *Leiceſter*, the weekly ſum of 187 pounds ten ſhillings.

The county of *Monmouth*, the weekly ſum of 62 pounds ten ſhillings.

The county of *Northampton*, the weekly ſum of four hundred twenty five pounds.

The county of *Oxford*, the weekly ſum of 400 pounds.

The county of *Salop*, the weekly ſum of 375 pounds.

The county of *Stafford*, the weekly ſum of 212 pounds ten ſhillings.

The county of the city of *Lichfield*, the weekly ſum of 5 pounds.

The county of *Somerſet*, the weekly ſum of 1050 pounds.

The city of *Briſtol*, the weekly ſum of 55 pounds 15 s.

The county of *Warwick*, the weekly ſum of 562 l. 10 s.

The county and city of *Coventry*, the weekly ſum of 37 l. 10 s.

The county of *Worceſter*, the weekly ſum of 550 l.

The city and county of *Worceſter*, the weekly ſum of 16 l. 13 s.

The county of *Wilts*, the weekly ſum of ſeven hundred twenty five pounds.

Cumberland, the weekly ſum of thirty ſeven pounds ten ſhillings.

Durham, the weekly ſum 62 l. 10 s.

Weſtmerland, the weekly ſum of twenty ſeven pounds five ſhillings.

Newcaſtle upon *Tine*, the weekly ſum of 25 l.

Northumberland, the weekly ſum of 50 l.

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Angleſey, the weekly ſum 25 pounds.
Brecknock, the weeekly ſum of 50 pounds 10 ſhillings.
Cardigan, the weekly ſum of 62 pounds 10 ſhillings.
Carmarthen, the weekly ſum of 50 pounds.
Carnarven, the weekly ſum of 35 pounds.
Denbigh, the weekly ſum of 25 pounds.
Flintſhire, the weekly ſum of 16 pounds 10 ſhillings.
Glamorgan, the weekly ſum of 67 pounds 10 ſhillings.
Merioneth, the weekly ſum of 12 pounds 10 ſhillings.
Mountgomery, the weekly ſum of 62 pounds 10 ſhillings.
Radnor, the weekly ſum of 36 pounds 10 ſhillings.
Haverfordweſt, the weekly ſum of five pounds.

And be it further Ordained, That as well every perſon of the Eſtate of a Baron or Baroneſs, and every Eſtate above, and all and every other perſon and perſons born within this Realm of *England*, *Wales*, or other the Kings Dominions, as well Eccleſiaſtical as Temporal, and every Fraternity, Guild, Corporation, Myſtery, Brotherhood, and Commonalty, Corporate or not Corporate, as well Eccleſiaſtical as Temporal, within the Realm *England*, *Wales*, or other the Kings Dominions, for the value of every pound, which every ſuch perſon, Fraternity, Guild, Corporation, Myſtery, Brotherhood, and Commonalty Corporate or not Corporate, hath of his or their own, or that any other hath to his or their uſe or uſes, as well in Coin, in Plate, ſtock of Merchandize, any manner of Corn and Grain, Houſhold-ſtuff, and of all other goods, moveables, as well within this Realm as without, and of all ſuch ſum and ſums of money as to him or them is, are, or ſhall be owing, whereof he or they truſt in his or their conſcience to be paid (except, and out of the premiſes deducted, ſuch ſums of money as he or they owe, and in his or their conſcience intend truly to pay; and except alſo the Apparel of every ſuch perſons, their Wives and Children, belonging to their own bodies, (ſaving Iewels, Gold, Silver, Stones, Pearl) ſhall pay towards the ſaid Weekly ſum and ſums of money ſo aſſeſſed as aforeſaid; and every Alien and Stranger born out of the Kings obeyſance, as well Denizens as others, inhabiting within this Realm: And alſo, every Papiſh Recuſant, convict or not convict, ſhall pay towards the ſums aforeſaid, a proportion double to thoſe of the like eſtates, being no Aliens or Recuſants; And that every perſon born within the Kings obeyſance, as well Eccleſiaſtical as Temporal, and every

every Corporation, Fraternity, Guild, Myſtery, Brotherhood, and Commonalty, corporate or not corporate, as well Eccleſiaſtical as Temporal, for every Eſtate that every ſuch perſon or perſons, and every Corporation, Fraternity, Guild, Myſtery, Brotherhood and Commonalty corporate or not corporate, or any other to his or their uſe in truſt or otherwiſe, hath in Fee-ſimple, Fee-tail, for term of life, term of years, by Execution, VVardſhip, or by Copy of Court-Roll, of and in any Honors, Caſtles, Mannors, Lands, Tenements, Rents, Services, Tithes, Oblations, Obventions, Annuities, Offices of Profit, Fees, Corrodies, or other yearly Profits or Hereditaments, as well within Ancient Demeſn, and other places priviledged, as elſewhere, ſhall pay to and towards the ſaid weekly ſums, his and their proportionable part, and proportion of ſuch ſum or ſums of Money as are impoſed, charged and ſet upon each ſeveral County, according as the ſame ſhall be divided, diſtributed, taxed or ſet upon each ſeveral Town, Hamlet, Pariſh or Place where ſuch perſon or perſons is or ſhall be chargeable by this Ordinance, and the true intent and meaning thereof; Except and always foreprized, from the charge and Aſſeſſment of the ſums aforeſaid, All Goods, Chattels and Ornaments belonging to any Churches or Chappels, which have been ordained and uſed in any Churches and Chappels for the ſervice of Almighty God; and except yearly wages due to Servants for their yearly ſervice.

And the ſaid ſeveral ſums ſo charged, ſet upon the ſaid ſeveral Counties, Cities, Towns, Liberties, Places and perſons aforeſaid, ſhall by Authority of this Ordinance be taxed, ſeſſed and rated according to this Ordinance, in every Shire, Riding, Lath, VVapentake, Rape, City, Borough, Town, and every other Place within this Realm of *England* and Dominion of *Wales*, before the Twenty ſixth day of *February*, in the Year of our Lord, One thouſand ſix hundred forty two; And the firſt payment of the ſaid VVeekly ſums ſo aſſeſſed by this Ordinance, ſhall be made at or before the firſt day of *March*, One thouſand ſix hundred forty two; And the ſaid VVeekly payments to continue VVeekly for three Moneths next enſuing from the ſaid firſt day of *March*, unleſs the Kings Army ſhall be disbanded in the mean time. And for the better expediting of the ſaid ſervice; Be it further Ordained by the ſaid Lords and Commons, That the perſons hereafter named, ſhall be Committees for the ſeveral and reſpective Counties and Places hereafter mentioned: That is to ſay;

lford. For the County of Bedford, sir Iohn Burgoyn Baronet, sir Thomas Ashton Knight and Baronet, sir Roger Burgoyn Baronet, sir Oliver Luke Knight, sir Samuel Luke Knight, Thomas Robart, Thomas Sadler, James Beverly, Hampton Monox, Edward Osborn, Robert Stanton, Samuel Brown, Esquires.

rks. For the County of Berks, sir Francis Pile Baronet, sir Francis Knollis junior, Knight, Peregrine Hoby, Roger Knight, Henry Powl, and Thomas Fettiplace, Esquires.

For the Town of Reading, the Major for the time being, Henry Martin, Tanfield Vachel, Esquires.

ckin- For the County of Buck', sir Richard Ingolesby Knight, Henry Bulam, strode, Thomas Tirrel, Richard Greenvil, Esquires; sir Peter Temple Baronet, Anthony Ratcliff, Thomas Westal, Esquires; sir William Andrews, sir Thomas Sanders, Knights; Bulstrode Whitlock, Iohn Hampden, Arthur Goodwyn, Richard Winwood, Esquires.

mbridge For the County of Cambridge, sir Dudley North, sir John Cuts, sir Thomas Martin, Knights; Captain Simonds, Dudley Pope, Esquires; sir Miles Sands Knight, Francis Russel, Oliver Gromwel, VVilliam Fisher, Thomas Tompson, Thomas Becker, VValter Clopton, Robert Castle, Thomas Bendish, Iohn VVelbore, Robert Clark, Mich. Dalton junior, Thomas Parker, Iohn Hobard, Thomas Castle, George Clapthorn, Iohn Towers and Edward Leeds, Esquires; VVilliam Marsh, William March, Esquires.

For the Town and University of Cambridge, the Major for the time being, Talbot Pepys Recorder, Iohn Sherwood, Samuel Spaulden, Thomas French, Robert Robson.

ester. For the County of Chester, sir George Booth Knight and Baronet. sir VVilliam Brereton Baronet, Thomas Stanley, Henry Manwaring, Henry Brook, Iohn Bradshaw, Robert Deckenfield, Henry Vernon, Iohn Crew, VVilliam Marbury, Esquires.

For the City of Chester,

rnwal. For the County of Cornwal, sir Richard Carew Baronet, Francis Buller, Alexander Carew, Iohn Tresusis, Iohn saint Aubin, Richard Eeresey, Iohn Moyl, Francis Godolphin, Thomas Thewen, Iohn Carter, Thomas Arundel, Esquires.

For

For the County of Devon, *Sir* George Chudleigh, *ſir* Iohn Pool, *ſir* Iohn Northcot *Baronets*, *ſir* Edmond Fowel *Knight*; *ſir* Samuel Roll, *ſir* Shilſton Calmady, *ſir* Nicholas Martin, *Knights*, *Sir* Francis Darke *Baronet*; Robert Savery, Henry Walrond, *Eſquires*; Iohn Dany *Baronet*; Henry Worth, Hugh Forteſcue, Arthur Upton, George Trobridge, *Eſquires*. Devon.

For the City of Exon, Chriſtopher Clerk *Major*, Richard Sanders, Thomas Croſſinge, Adam Benet, Walth. White, *and* Iohn Hakewil, *Aldermen*; Iames Gould *Sheriff*. Exon city.

For the County of Cumberland, *Sir* George Dalſton *Knight*; William Lawſon, William Briſcoe, Thomas Lamplugh, Richard Barwis, *Eſquires*. Cumberland.

For the County of Derby, Derby.

For the County of Dorſet, *Sir* Tho: Trenchard, *ſir* Walt. Erle, *Knights*; Iohn Brown, Iohn Fitz-Iames, Tho. Tregnel, Iohn Bingham, Iohn Hanham, Iohn Trenchard, Denis Bond, Ric. Broderop, *Eſquires*. Dorſet.

For the Town and County of Pool, Henry Martin *Major*; George Skut, Alex. Wait, Anth. Wait, Will. Williams, Aaron Durel, Rich. Mayer, *and* Haviland Heely, *Aldermen*. Pool.

For the County of Durham, Henry Warmouth, George Lilborn, Thomas Mitford, Robert Hutton, Thomas Shadforth, Clement Falthrop, Richard Lilborn, Francis Wren, Iohn Blackſton, Henry Draper, Iohn Blackenbury, *Eſquires*. Durham.

For the County of Eſſex, *Sir* Thomas Barington *Knight and Baronet*, *ſir* Henry Mildemay *of Wanſted*, *ſir* Martin Lumley *Knight and Baronet*; *ſir* Rich. Everad *Baronet*; *Sir* Will. Hicks *Baronet*; *Sir* Henry Holcroft, *ſir* William Row, *ſir* Tho. Honywood, *ſir* William Martin, *ſir* Iohn Barington, *Knights*; *Sir* William Maſſam *Baronet*; William Maſſam, Iohn Wright, Oliver Raymond, Harbottle Grimſton, Iohn Sayer, Iohn Burket, Anthony Luther, Timothy Middleton, Thomas Coke, Dean Tyndal, Iames Hern, Will. Goldingham, Iohn Atwood, Iohn Sorrel, Richard Harlackenden, *Eſquires*. Eſſex.

For Colcheſter, the Major for the time being, *Mr.* Hen. Barington. Colcheſter.

For Eaſt-Riding, *Sir* Iohn Hotham *Knight and Baronet*; *Sir* Philip Stapleton *Knight*, *Sir* Will. Strickland *Baronet*; *Sir* Tho. Rymington *Knight*; Rich. Rymington, Iohn Hotham, Iohn Anlabey, Rich. Darley, Henry Darley, Iohn Allured, *Eſquires*. Eaſt-Riding.

North-riding. *For North-Riding, sir* William Sheffield *Knight*, *Sir* Henry Fouls *Baronet*, *sir* Matth. Boynton *Baronet*, Bryan Stapleton, Henry Darley, Henry Anderson, John Wastal, Chr. Perchley, George Trotter, Matthew Smelt, John Legard de Malton, Francis Lassels, Jeffery Gate, Iohn Dent, Tho. Robinson, Fra. Boynton, *Esquires*.

West-riding. *For West-Riding*, Ferdinando *Lord* Fairfax, *sir* Tho. Maleverer *Baronet*; *sir* William Lister, *sir* Edward Rodes, *sir* William Fairfax, *sir* Iohn Savil, *sir* Tho. Fairfax, *sir* Iohn Reresbey, *Knights*; Charls Fairfax, Henry Ardington, William West, Iohn Farrer, Will. White, Thomas Maleverer, George Marwood, Iohn Robinson, Tho. Stockdale, Tho: Westby, Iohn Bright, Thomas Bossevile, Godfrey Bossevile, *Esquires*.

York City. *For the City of York*, *Sir* Thomas Fairfax, *and sir* Thomas Widdrington, *Knights*; Tho. Hodgson, Iames Hutchinson, *and* Iohn Vaux, *Aldermen*.

Glocester. *For the County of Glocester*, *Sir* Robert Coke *Knight*; Nathaniel Stephens, Ioh. George, Ed. Stephens. Ioh. Stephens, Tho. Pury, *Esquires*. *And for the County of the City of Glocester*.

Bristol. *For the City of Bristol*, Richard Alworth *Major*; John Jackson, *and* Hugh Brown, *Sheriffs*; Richard Halworthy *Alderman*; Luke Hodges, *and* Henry Gibs.

Hampshire. *For the County of Southampton, the Town and County of Southampton, and the Isle of Wight*, *Sir* Henry Worsley, *sir* William Lewis *Baronets*; *Sir* Thomas Iervoise, *sir* William Lisle, *sir* Iohn Oglander, *sir* Henry Clerk, *sir* Iohn Compton, *sir* Richard Kingsmil, *Knights*; Robert Dillington, Robert Wallop, Richard Whitehead, Richard Norton, Ioh. Doddington, Richard Iervoise, Iohn Lisle, Dowce Fuller, Iohn Button, Edw. Hopper, Edw, Denny, Iohn Bulkley, Tho. Clerk, Iohn Kemp, Rich. Major, Francis Saintbarb, Nicholas Love, Iohn Fielder, William Wither, Thomas Chandler, Iames Tut, and Iohn Pitnian, *Esquires*.

Hertford. *For the County of Hertford*, Charls *Lord Viscount* Cranborn, Rob. Cicil *Esq*; *Sir* Iohn Garret *Baronet*, *sir* Tho. Daeres, *sir* Will. Litton, *sir* Iohn Witteronge, *Knights*; Rich. Iennings, Ralph Freeman, William Lemon, Will. Pristeley, Iohn Heydon, Alex. Wild, Rich. Porter, Adam Washington, *Esquires*. *For St. Albans, the Major for the time being*, Iohn Robtham, Ralph Pemberton, *Esquires*.

For

For the County of Hereford, *ſir* Robert Harley *Knight of the Bath*, *ſir* Richard Horton *Knight*; Walter Kirl, Edward Broughton, Henry Vaughan, *Eſquires*. Hereford.

For the City of Hereford, *ſir* Robert Harley *Knight of the Bath*, Walter Kirl, Rich. Hobſon, Iohn Brocket, Hen. Vaughan, *Eſquires*.

For the County of Huntington, *ſir* Thomas Cotton *Baronet*, *ſir* Iohn Hewet *Knight*, Onſlow Winch, Terril Ioſeline, Tho: Templer, Iohn Caſtle, Oliver Cromwel, Abraham Burwel, Edw. Montague, *Eſq*; Hunting-ton.

For the County of Kent, *ſir* Thomas Walſingham, *ſir* Anthony Welden, *Knights*, Tho: Seleiard, Iohn Boys *ſenior*, *Eſquires*; *ſir* Iohn Sidley, *ſir* Humphrey Tufton, *Knights and Baronets*; Auguſtine Skinner, *and* Richard Lee, *Eſquires*; *ſir* Edward Scot *Knight*, *ſir* Henry Hayman *Knight and Baronet*, *ſir* Henry Vane *junior Knight*, *ſir* Edward Hales *Knight and Baronet*, *ſir* George Sands, *ſir* Iohn Honywood, *ſir* William Brook, *Knights*, *ſir* Michael Lewſy *Baronet*, *and* Thomas Blunt *Eſq*; Kent.

For the City of Rocheſter, *The Major for the time being*, Richard Lee *Eſq*;

For the City and County of Canterbury, *The Major for the time being*, *ſir* William Man *Knight*, *ſir* Edward Maſter *Knight*, Thomas Courthope *Eſq*; Avery Savin *Alderman*. Canter-bury.

For Kingſton ſuper *Hull*, *ſir* Iohn Hotham *Knight and Baronet*, Iohn Hotham *Eſq*, Thomas Raikes *Major*; Lancelot Roper, Iohn Barnard, Ioſhua Hall, Nich. Denman, William Popple, *Gentlemen*.

For the County of Lancaſter, *ſir* Ralph Aſhton, *and ſir* Tho. Stanley, *Baronets*; Ralph Aſhton, Richard Shuttleworth, Alexander Rigby, Iohn Moor, Richard Holland, Edward Butterworth, Iohn Bradſhaw, Peter Egerton, George Dodding, Nicholas Cunliff, *and* Thomas Fell, *Eſquires*; Robert Cunliff, Robert Curwen, *and* Iohn Nowel, *Gentlemen*. Lancaſter.

For the County of Leiceſter, Henry *Lord* Grey *of Ruthin*, Thomas *Lord* Grey *of Groby*, *ſir* Arthur Haſlerig *Baronet*, *ſir* Edward Hartop, *and ſir* Thomas Hartop *Knights*; William Hewer, Iohn Bembridge, Peter Temple, George Aſhby, William Roberts, Rich. Bent, Arthur Staveley, William Danvers, Iohn Goodwyn, *Eſquires*. Leiceſter.

For the Town of Leiceſter, *The Major for the time being*, William Stanley *Alderman*.

For the County of Lincoln, *ſir* Edward Aiſcough *Knight*, *ſir* John Wray, Lincoln Lindſey parts.

Kestaven parts. Wray *Knight and Baronet, and sir* Samuel Ofield *Knight*; Iohn Wray, Willoughby Hickman, Edward Witchcot, Edmond Anderson, Edward Rositer, *and* Iohn Broxholm, *Esquires*; *sir* William Armyn *Baronet, sir* Hammond Whitchcot *Knight, sir* Iohn Brownlow, *sir* Thomas Trollop, *Baronets*; Thomas Grantham, Thomas Lister, Iohn Archer, *Esquires*.

For the City of Lincoln and the Close of Lincoln, The Major for the time being, Thomas Grantham, Iohn Broxholm, *Esq*; Robert Moorcroft, William Watson, *and* Stephen Dawson, *Aldermen*.

London. *For the City of London, and all within the Iurisdiction of the Lord Major, The Lord Major, and the Aldermen of the said City*.

Middlesex. *For the County of Middlesex, Sir* Gilbert Gerrard *Baronet, Sir* Iohn Francklyn, *Sir* Edward Barkham, *Sir* Iohn Hippesley, *Sir* Wil: Roberts, *Knights, Sir* Richard Sprignal *Baronet*; Laurence Whittaker, Tho: Wilcox, Iohn Maurice, Richard Downton, *Esquires*.

Monmouth *For the County of Monmouth*,

Norfolk. *For the County of Norfolk, Sir* Thomas Woodhouse, *Sir* Iohn Holland *Baronet*, *Sir* Iohn Pots *Baronet, Sir* Iohn Hubbert *Baronet*; *sir* Miles Hubbert, *sir* Thomas Huggen, *Knights*; Iohn Cook, Iohn Spelman, Philip Beddingfield, Samuel Smith, *The Sheriffs of Norwich, The Bailiffs for Yarmouth*, Thomas Toll, *and* Iohn Percival *of Lyn*, Tho: Windham, Francis Jermy, Ro: Wood, Gregory Gawsel, Iohn Haughton, Tho: Weld, Martyn Sedly, Thomas Sotherton, *Esquires*; *Sir* Edmond Mountford, *Knight*, William Heveningham, Wil: Cook, Robert Rich, *Esquires, Sir* Richard Berney, *Sir* Isaac Ashley, *Sir* Iohn Palgrave, *Knights, and* Brigg Fountain, *Esquire*.

Northampton *For the County of Northampton, Sir* Rowland Saint-Iohn *Knight of the Bath, Sir* Iohn Norwich *Knight, Sir* Gilbert Pickering *Baronet, Sir* Richard Samuel *Knight*; Iohn Crue, Iohn Bernard, Edward Harvey, Iohn Sawyer, Edward Farmer, Iohn Norton, Iohn Chappole, *Esquires, Sir* Iohn Draydon *Baronet*, Richard Knightly *Esquire*.

For the Town of Northampton, The Major for the time being, Thomas Martin, Iohn Fisher, *Aldermen*.

Newcastle. *For the Town of Newcastle*,

Northumberland. *For the County of Northumberland, Sir* Iohn Fenwick, *Baronet*, *Sir*

Sir Iohn Dallevel *Knight*, Thomas Middleton, William Shaftoe, Michael Weldon, *and* Henry Ogle, *Eſquires*.

For the Town and County of Newcaſtle upon Tyne, Henry Warmouth, Ralph Gray, Henry Lawſon, Iohn Blackeſton, *Eſquires*. Newcaſtle.

For the Town of Berwick upon Tweed, Iohn Sleigh, *Major*; *Sir* Robert Iackſon *Knight*, Ralph Salkeld *Eſq*; Berwick.

For the County of Notingham, Francis Pierpoint, *Eſquire*, *Sir* Francis Thornhaugh *Knight*; Francis Thornhaugh, Ioſeph Widmerpole, Robert Reyns, Gilbert Millington, *and* Iohn Hutchinſon, *Eſquires*, *Sir* Francis Molinox *Knight*, Charls White, *and* Henry Ireton, *Eſquires*. Notingham.

For the County and Town of Notingham, *The Major for the time being*, Iames Chadwick *Eſq*, Huntington Plumtrey *Doctor in Phyſick*, Iohn Iames *Alderman*, *and* Iohn Gregory *Gentleman*.

For the County of Oxon, Oxon.

For the County of Rutland, *Sir* Edward Harrington *Knight*; Evers Armyn, Robert Horſman, Iohn Osborn, Chriſtopher Brown, Robert Horſman *Junior*, *and* Thomas Wait, *Eſquires*. Rutland.

For the County of Suffolk, *Sir* Nathaniel Barnardiſton *Knight*; *Sir* William Spring *Baronet*, *Sir* Roger North, *Sir* Tho. Barnadiſton, *Knights*; William Heveningham, Nathaniel Bacon *of Freeſton*; Nicholas Bacon, Hen. North, Rob. Brewſter, Francis Bacon, Theophilus Vaughan *of Beckles*, Will. Cage, Edmond Hervy, Iohn Gurdon, *Eſquires*; Iohn Baſs *Gentleman*. *The Bailiffs of the Town of Ipſwich*, Iohn Sicklemer, Richard Puplet, Iohn Aldus, *Gentlemen*. Suffolk.

For St. Edmonds Bury, Samuel Moody, Tho. Cole, *Mr.* Chaplin, *The Bailiffs of the Town of Aldborough for the time being*.

For the County of Surrey, *for the Weſt Diviſion*, *Sir* Rich. Onſlow, *Sir* William Eliot, *Sir* Robert Parkhurſt, *Knights*; Nicholas Stawton, George Evelyn *of Wotton*, Henry Weſton, Arthur Onſlow, *Eſquires*. *For the middle Diviſion*, *Sir* Ambroſe Brown *Baronet*; *Sir* Anthony Vincent *Baronet*; *Sir* Iohn Dingley, *Sir* Matthew Brand, *Knights*; Francis Drake, Thomas Sands, George Myn, William Mauſchamp, *Eſquires*. *For the Eaſt Diviſion*, *Sir* Iohn Howland, *and Sir* Iohn Evelyn, *Knights*; Iohn Goodwyn *Eſq*; Richard Wright, *and* Cornelius Cook, *Gentleman*. Surrey.

For the County of Suſſex, *Sir* Thomas Pelham *Baronet*, Anthony Stapeley, Herbert Morley, Thomas Whitfield, Iohn Baker, Herbert Hay, Suſſex.

Hay, *Esquires*, Herbert Sprigate *of the Broyl*, Ralph Cooper, Hall Ravenscroft, Edward Apsley, John Downs, William Carlop, George Oglander, George Sympson, Iames Bachelor, *Gentlemen*.

Somerset. *For the County of* Somerset, *sir* Iohn Horner, *sir* Thomas Wroth, *sir* George Farwel, *Knights*; Christopher Walker, William Strode, Richard Cole, Iohn Harrington, Iohn Hippesley, William Long, Iohn Preston, Henry Henley, Henry Sampford, Iohn Pyre, *and* Iames Ash, *Esquires*; Roger Hill, George Serl, *and* Iasper Chaplain, *Gentlemen*; Richard Capel, William Bull, Robert Harbin, Iohn Hunt, *and* Alexander Popham, *Esquires*.

Salop. *For the County of* Salop, *sir* Iohn Corbet *Knight*; William Pierrepont, Richard Moor, Thomas Mitton, Walter Barker, Tho: Nichols, Robert Corbet *of Stannerden*, Humphrey Moukworth, Andrew Floyde *of Aston, and* Lancelot Lee, *Esquires*.

Litchfield City. *For the City of* Litchfield, *The Bailiffs of the said City for the time being, the Sheriff of the said City for the time being*, Richard Draffgate, Rich. Baxter, *and* Tho. Burns *Gent*. Michael Noble *Esq*;

Stafford. *For the County of Stafford, sir* Richard Skesfington, *Knight*; Rich. Pyot, Michael Bidolph, Edward Manwaring, Matthew Morton, Iohn Birch, Ralph Rudyard, Michael Lowe, *and* Edward Leigh, *Esquires*; *sir* Walter Wrotesley, *sir* Edward Littleton, *Baronets*.

Warwick. *For the County of* Warwick, *The Major of the City of* Coventry, *sir* Peter Wentworth *Knight*; Iohn Hales, Godfrey Boswel, Iohn Barker, William Purefoy, Anthony Staughton, George Abbot, Thomas Boughton, William Colemore, Thomas Basner, William Iesson, Gamaliel Purefroy, *and* Thomas Willoughby, *Esquires*.

Wilts. *For the County of* Wilts, *sir* Edw. Hungerford, *sir* Edw. Bainton, *sir* Nevil Pool, *and sir* Iohn Evelyn, *Knights*; Edward Bainton, Edward Tucker, Edward Goddard, Alexander Thistlethwait *junior*, Edw. Pool, Thomas Moor, Iohn Ash, *and* Robert Iennour, *Esquires*.

Westmerland. *For the County of* Westmerland, *sir* Henry Bellingham *Knight and Baronet*, George Gilpin, Edward Wilson, Nicholas Fisher, Thomas Sleddal, Rowland Dawson, *and* Allan Bellingham, *Esquires*; Roger Bateman, Richard Branthwait, Robert Phillipson, *and* Gervace Benson, *Gentlemen*.

Worcester. *For the County of* Worcester, Iohn Wilde, Rich. Creswel, *Sergeants at Law*, Humphrey Salway, Edw. Dingley, Edward Pit, Thomas Greeves, *and* William Iefferies, *Esquires*. *For the City of* Worcester, Henry

Henry Foord *Eſquire, Major*; Roger Seaburn, *and* Henry Philips, *Aldermen*, Iohn Rea, *Gentleman.*

Which ſaid ſeveral Committees of the ſaid ſeveral and reſpective Counties and Places, or the greateſt part of them, ſhall with all convenient ſpeed after notice of this Ordinance given to them, or any two of them, meet together within the ſeveral Counties and Places reſpectively, where they are Committees, in ſome convenient place within the ſame Counties or Places, and may there agree to ſever and divide themſelves for the Execution of the ſaid ſervice, unto ſuch Hundreds, Places and Diviſions within their reſpective Counties and Places, as to them ſhall ſeem meet and expedient; And afterwards the ſaid Committees, or any two of them reſpectively, ſhall direct their Warrants to ſuch number of perſons as they ſhall think fit, within their ſeveral and reſpective Diviſions, to appear before them, or any two of them, and upon their appearance, the ſaid reſpective Committees, or any two of them, ſhall nominate and appoint ſuch perſons as they ſhall think fit, within their reſpective Diviſions: Which ſaid perſons ſo nominated, or any two of them, ſhall have power to Aſſeſs all and every perſon or perſons, Fraternity, Guild, Corporation, Myſtery, Brotherhood and Commonalty, Corporate or not Coporate, chargeable by this Ordinance, according to the weekly rates and proportions in this Ordinance mentioned.

And the ſaid reſpective Committees, or any two of them, ſhall have full Power and Authority within their ſeveral and reſpective Limits and Diviſions, where they ſhall execute this Ordinance, to nominate Collectors for the Money ſo Aſſeſſed and Rated as aforeſaid, according to this Ordinance; Which ſaid Collectors ſhall Collect the ſaid Moneys ſo Aſſeſſed, and pay the ſame to the Treaſurer of the Army raiſed by the Parliament, for the time being, at *Guild-Hall London*, or at ſuch or places, and to ſuch perſon or perſons, as the ſaid reſpective Committees, or any two of them ſhall appoint. And if any perſon or perſons Fraternity, Guild, Corporation, Myſtery, Brotherhood or Commonalty, corporate or not corporate, chargeable by this Ordinance, ſhall refuſe to pay the ſum or ſum upon him or them Aſſeſſed by vertue of this Ordinance, or ſhall not pay the ſame upon

upon demand, at the place of his abode, or where ſuch Aſſeſſment ſhall be made, It ſhall be lawful, to and for the reſpective Collectors, or any of them, to levy all and every ſuch ſum and ſums ſo aſſeſſed, by way of diſtreſs, and ſale of the Goods of the perſon or perſons ſo aſſeſſed, where-ever the ſame ſhall be found; And to break open any Houſe, Cheſt, Trunck, Box, or other things wherein any ſuch Goods are. And if any perſon ſo diſtrained, or other, ſhall make reſiſtance, it ſhall be lawful, to and for the ſaid reſpective Collectors, or any of them, as they ſhall ſee cauſe, to call to their aſſiſtance any of the Trained Bands, or Companies of Voluntiers, or other Forces, of or within the County or Counties, place or places where ſuch reſiſtance ſhall be made; Or any other perſon or perſons whatſoever, dwelling in or near the place: And the ſaid Trained Bands, Voluntiers or Forces, and the ſeveral Officers, Commanders and Soldiers of the ſame, or other the perſons ſo to be called, are hereby required to be ayding and aſſiſting to the ſaid reſpective Collectors in the Premiſes, as they will anſwer the contrary thereof.

And be it alſo Ordained, That every perſon to be rated and taxed as aforeſaid, ſhall be rated and ſet; And the ſum on him rated and ſet, to be levied in every County, for the Eſtate he hath, either Lands, Tenements or Hereditaments, Rents, Annuities, Fees, Offices, Goods, Cattels or Chattels in that County onely; and if he have an Eſtate, either in Lands, Tenements, Hereditaments, Rents, Annuities, Fees, Offices, Goods or Chattels in ſeveral places in one County, then to be rated in the ſaid ſeveral places in each ſeveral County, according to ſuch his ſaid Eſtate, in the ſaid ſeveral places, and the ſum on him ſet, to be there levied accordingly.

And be it further Ordained, That all Lands, Tenements or Hereditaments of all and every perſon or perſons whatſoever, of what degree or quality ſoever, or in whoſe poſſeſſion ſoever the ſame are, ſhall be rated, charged, and chargeable, for and towards the raiſing and payment of the ſaid weekly ſum or ſums of Money ſet and charged by this Ordinance; Yet nevertheleſs, with this limitation and proviſion, That if the Land be ſet or let to or near the yearly value thereof, in the poſſeſſion of any Tenant for Life, Lives or Years, or at Will, ſuch perſon or perſons to whom the rent thereof belongeth, to be ſolely chargeable therewith;

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But if the ſame be let at any eaſie or ſmal rent or under-value, then the ſum taxed to be apportioned between the party or parties to whom the rent belongeth; and the tenant or occupier of the lands, tenements, or hereditaments, as the Taxers ſhall think meet. And if they or any of them ſhall do any injury, the ſame to be rectified by the ſaid Committees, or any two of them within their ſeveral limits or diviſions, according to their diſcretion: And if any ſuch tenant or occupier of Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments, ſhal or may be charged with any ſum of money contrary to the true intent and meaning of this Ordinance (that it ſhall and may be lawful to and for ſuch tenant or occupier to ſtop and detain the ſame, from and out of his rent due for the ſame Land, or to take his lawful remedy againſt ſuch perſon or perſons to whom the ſaid is or ſhall be due or belonging, who ought by the true meaning of this Act to be charged therewith by Action of debt, wherein no wager of Law, Protection, or Eſſoyn ſhall be allowed; and in caſe that any Lands or hereditaments in ſeveral Counties, Hundreds, Pariſhes, or Places, ſhall be let or ſet for, or charged with one entire rent or rents, the owner of ſuch rent or rents to be charged for ſuch rent or rents in each County, hundred, pariſh or place proportionably and according to the value of the Lands or Hereditaments ſo let in every of the ſaid Counties, hundreds, pariſhes and places, and for all maner of debts whatſoever, or ſum or ſums of money due, or owing to any perſon or perſons by any perſon or perſons within this Realm; and alſo for any debts, goods, or ſums of money remaining or being beyond the ſeas out of His Majeſties Dominions due or belonging to any perſon or perſons reſiding within *England* or *Wales*, the perſon or perſons to whom ſuch debts ſhall be due to be charged for the ſame in the place of his reſidence, or abode at the time of the taxation only. And be it ordained, That no perſon having two manſions or places to reſort to, being, or calling himſelf houſhold ſervant, or waiting ſervant to the Kings Majeſty, or other Lord or Lady, maſter or miſtris, be excuſed from the taxes of the ſaid payments, in any place or places where he may be ſet or taxed, and if any perſon that ought to be ſet and taxed to the ſaid paiment by his crime or craft, or any words or ſayings, or otherwiſe, happen to eſcape from the ſaid payments, to be not ſet and taxed according to the true meaning of this Ordinance, & that proved by preſentment, examination, information, or otherwiſe, before the ſaid Committees, or any two of them, then every ſuch perſon ſhal be charged upon the knowledge and proof thereof, and at the

treble value of ſo much as he ſhould, might, or ought to have been ſet or taxed at by vertue of this Ordinance, and the ſame to be levied, gathered and paid of his Goods and Chattels, Lands and Tenement, towards the ſaid payment, in ſuch maner as is herein limited for others which refuſe to pay. And if no diſtreſs be found of the Goods or other things of ſuch perſon or perſons, bodies corporat, or other chargeable by this Ordinance, as ſhal not pay their weekly rates as aforeſaid, then the ſaid Collectors ſhall reſpectively have power to enquire of any ſum or ſums of mony due or to be due to the perſons ſo aſſeſſed as aforeſaid, from any perſon or perſons, for any Rents, Tythes, Goods or Debts, or other thing or cauſe whatſoever, and to compound for any of the ſaid Rents, Tythes, Goods, Debts, due to the perſon ſo aſſeſſed reſpectively as aforeſaid, with any perſon or perſons by whom the ſaid Rents, Tythes, Goods, Debts, or other things due unto the ſaid perſon ſo aſſeſſed reſpectively as aforeſaid; as alſo to give full diſcharge for the money by them ſo received upon compoſition or otherwiſe; which diſcharge ſhall be good and effectual to all intents and purpoſes.

And be it further ordained, That if any perſon or perſons ſhall finde him or themſelves agrieved, that he or they is or are over-rated, ſuch perſon or perſons at any time before diſtreſs taken of his or their Goods, may complain to the reſpective Committees, who have executed this Ordinance, within the Diviſion or Limit where any ſuch perſon or perſons over-rated ſhall be aſſeſſed, which ſaid reſpective Committees, or any two of them, ſhall have power upon examination, to releve ſuch perſon or perſons, as they ſhall ſee cauſe. And for the better encouragement of the Collectors in this ſaid ſervice, It is ordained, That three pence in the pound ſhall be allowed for every ſum of money which ſhal be collected and paid to the ſaid Treaſurers or Receivers according to this Ordinance; two pence whereof ſhall be allowed to the Collectors, and the reſidue to ſuch other perſons as ſhall be employed in the ſaid ſervice, according to the diſcretion of the reſpective Committees within their ſeveral Diviſions, or any two of them.

And to the end that all the moneys aſſeſſed may be duly collected, be it ordained, that the ſeveral and reſpective Aſſeſſors within the Kingdom of *England* and Dominion of *Wales*, ſhall within one week next after their reſpective Aſſeſſments made, return their ſaid ſeveral Aſſeſſments unto the reſpective Committees aforeſaid, for the reſpective Diviſions or Limits where the ſaid Aſſeſſments ſhall be made;

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who, or any two of them, are hereby required reſpectively within ten days after the reſpective returns of ſuch ſeveral Aſſeſſments, to deliver a Copy thereof, ſubſcribed with their or any two of their hands, to the ſeveral Collectors within their ſaid reſpective Diviſions or Limits; and alſo within the like ten days to ſend up another Copy thereof to the ſaid Treaſurer of the Army raiſed by the Parliament for the time being, to the end the ſaid Treaſurer may therby know what he is to receive of every pariſh or place within this Realm and Wales, & the ſaid ſeveral ſums ſhall be paid to the ſaid Treaſurer at Guild-Hall *London*, who ſhall give an Acquittance for the ſame; which Acquittance ſhall be brought to *John Trenchard*, and *William Wheeler*, Eſqrs; Members of the Houſe of Commons, who are to enter the ſame in a Book to be kept for that purpoſe, and then the ſaid Acquittance ſhall be a ſufficient diſcharge to the party that paid in the ſaid ſum, and not otherwiſe. And if any Aſſeſſor or Collector ſhall refuſe the ſaid ſervice, or prove negligent or faulty therein, the ſaid Committees for the Diviſion or Limit where ſuch Aſſeſſor or Collector ſhall ſo refuſe, or be ſo negligent or faulty, or any two of them, ſhall have power to commit ſuch Aſſeſſor or Collector to priſon, or to ſet ſuch Fine upon him or them, as they ſhall think fit, not exceeding the ſum of twenty pounds upon the Aſſeſſor, or the ſum of five pounds upon the Collector; the ſame to be levied by diſtreſs & ſale of ſuch offenders goods to the uſes herein mentioned in ſuch ſort as is herein before appointed for ſuch as refuſe to pay the rates Aſſeſſed upon him or them, and ſhall alſo certifie the ſaid offence to the Lords and Commons in Parliament, and ſhall have power to nominate other Aſſeſſors or Collectors.

And if any perſon or perſons ſo aſſeſſed and rated as aforeſaid, ſhall conceal or convey away his or their goods, ſo that no diſtreſs can be taken, or that the ſaid ſum or ſums ſo Aſſeſſed upon him cannot be had or levyed by any the ways or means in this Ordinance mentioned, then the ſaid Collectors ſhall reſpectively certifie the ſame, in caſe he be a Peer of the Realm, unto the Lords in Parliament; and if he be under the degree of a Peer, to the Committee of the Commons Houſe in Parliament for Examinations; which ſaid Committee ſhal hereby have power to ſend for ſuch perſon and perſons as Delinquents, and to commit him or them Priſoners to ſuch place or places within this Kingdom, and for ſo long time as the Committee for Examinations ſhall think fit.

And be it laſtly Ordained, that all and every the Aſſeſſors and Col-

lectors aforesaid, and all that shall assist them in the premises shall be protected by both Houses of Parliament, from all dammage that may come to them or any of them by this service, and shall further receive such allowances for their charges, & obedience in the execution of this Ordinance, as upon certificate from the several Committees above named or any two of them shall be thought fit by the Committee of the House of Commons for Examinations.

Provided, That whereas the rates by this Ordinance set upon the City of *London*, the City of *Westminster*, and the Suburbs thereof, far exceed the proportion of other Counties, the same shall not hereafter be drawn into example or consequence to their prejudice, but shall be understood as a mark of their bounty and faithful service to the Common-wealth.

Provided also, That where any Citizen or Citizens of *London* are found to be settled in the County within thirty miles of the said City, being men of estate and not Assessed in the city, such persons shall be assessed by some Citizens of *London* appointed by the Lord Mayor, and the sums so assessed upon him or them, to be levyed upon them and their estates, where ever the same shall be found according to this Ordinance.

Provided likewise, that no Citizen or Citizens remaining Inhabitants within the City of *London* or Suburbs, shall be assessed for any Houses, Lands, or other things in the country, unless the same exceed the value of fifty pounds *per annum*, or that they have not been assessed in the city.

Lastly be it ordained, that where no Committees are named in this Ordinance for any county, city, or place, there such other Committees as shall be appointed by both the said Houses of Parliament, or any two of such Committees shall and may put this present Ordinance in execution within any such county or place respectively, in such maner and form to all intents and purposes, as any the Committees named in this Ordinance may, according to the purport and true meaning thereof.

And it is further Ordered, That the city of *London* shall have allowed unto them the sum of 3000 *l.* a moneth, during the continuance of this Ordinance, for the discharge of their Watches and Souldiers raised by them and now in their pay, out of the weekly sum of 10000 *l.* before mentioned; the same 3000 *l.* to be paid unto the Committee for the *Militia* of the city of *London*, who are to be accomptable for the same.

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Provided always, That no Peer of this Realm ſhall by vertue of this Ordinance be rated or taxed at any ſum or ſums of mony whatſoever, for any his manſion houſe or houſes, with the appurtenances in any place whatſoever; but the aſſeſſors, within whoſe charge ſuch houſe or houſes, with the appurtenances ſhall happen to be, ſhall certifie the ſame into the Houſe of Peers, to the end that ſuch Peers may be there rated for the ſame according to this Ordinance.

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1 *Martii.* 1642.

Additions to the Ordinance for the weekly Aſſeſſing of every county for money to maintain the Army raiſed by both Houſes of PARLIAMENT.

WHereas the Lords and Commons now aſſembled in Parliament have lately paſſed an Ordinance, for the Weekly raiſing of money for the maintenance of the Army and Forces raiſed by the Parliament, intituled, An Ordinance of both Houſes of Parliament for the ſpeedy raiſing and levying of money for the maintenance of the Army raiſed by the Parliament, & other great affairs of the Commonwealth by a Weekly Aſſeſſment upon every county; In which Ordinance, by reaſon of the neceſſity of the ſpeedy paſſing thereof & putting the ſame in execution, ſome omiſſions were made in the nomination of Committees, and otherwiſe: For redreſs whereof, be it ordained by the Lords and Commons in this preſent Parliament aſſembled, and by the authority of the ſame, That all and every the Aldermen, Deputies, and the Common-councel men of the city of *London*, ſhall be and hereby are Committees for the ſaid city and liberties thereof.

For the county of Middleſex, and liberties of Weſtminſter, ſir *John Conyers* Knight, Lieutenant of the Tower of London, ſir *Thomas Fowler* Knight and Baronet, ſir *Edward Barkham* Knight and Baronet, ſir *Richard Sprignal* Baronet, ſir *Robert Pye*, ſir *Will: Aſheton*, ſir *James Harrington*, ſir *Robert Wood*, Knights; *John Glyn*, *John Trenchard*, *William Wheeler*, *Iuſtinian Paget*, *Wil: Swallow*, and *John Hukſley*, Eſquires; *William Bell*, *John Brigham*, *Anthony Withers*, *George Beverhaſſet* and *William Barns*, Gentlemen, ſhall be and are hereby made Committees for the county of *Middleſex*, and the City and liberties of *Weſtminſter*.

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For Surrey, Sir *Ambroſe Brown* Baronet, Sir *Anthony Vincent* Knight and Baronet, Mr. *Edward Saunders*, Mr. *Robert Holeman*, Mr. *Robert Haughton*, Mr. *George Evelin*, Sir *John Dingley*. For Stafford, *Michael Noble* Eſquire. For Lancaſter, Sir *Thomas Stanley*. For Huntingdon, *John Bulkley* Eſquire. For Kent, Sir *Edward Boyes*, Sir *Iames Oxenden*, Sir *Richard Hardreſs*, *Samuel Short* Eſquire. *The* Major of *Tenderden* for the time being, *William Boyes*, *Henry Stampford* Eſquire. For Dorſet *William Savage*, *Thomas Tregonel*, *Richard Broddreppe*, *John Hanham*, *William Siddenham* Junior, *Robert Butler*, Eſquires. For the City of Cheſter, *William Iunce* Major, *John Alderſey*, *Peter Leigh*, *William Edwards*, Merchants. For Suffolk, Sir *Wil: Plaiters* Knight and Baronet, Sir *Iohn Wentworth* Knight, Sir *Philip Parker* Knight, *Maurice Barrow*, *Nicholas Bacon*, *William Bloyſe*, *Edmund Harvey*, Eſquires; *Francis Brewſter* Gentleman. For the Town of Leiceſter, *Richard Ludlam* now Major of Leiceſter, *William Stanley*, one of the Aldermen there, *Evers Armyn*. For Warwick and the City of Coventry, *Iſaac Broamwich*, *Robert Phips*, Eſquires. For Notingham, *Thomas Hutchinſon* Eſquire. For Eſſex, Sir *Harbottle Grimſton* Baronet, Sir *Thomas Cheek* Knight; *Henry Wiſeman*, *Robert Smith*, *Robert Bourn*, *William Atwood*, *Nathaniel Bacon*, *Iohn Mead*, *Robert Wiſeman* of Mayland, *Iſaac Allen* of Haſeley, *Samuel Fribourn*, *Peter Whitcomb*, *Robert Young*, Eſq; *Ieremy Aylet* Gentleman, *He: Farre* Eſquire, *William Collard* Gentleman, *Robert Crane* Gentleman, *Robert Calthrop* Gentleman, *Iohn Eldred* Eſquire.

Which Committees in their ſeveral and reſpective places, for which they are nominated and appointed Committees, ſhall have the like power and authority for the aſſeſſing and raiſing of the ſaid weekly Aſſeſſment, as other Committees appointed by the ſaid Ordinance are thereby reſpectively ordain'd to have. And it is further ordain'd by the authority aforeſaid, That all and every perſon and perſons being a Freeman of the City, that have gone out of the City of *London* or the Liberties thereof ſince the firſt day of October, 1642. ſhall be aſſeſſed in the ſaid City, towards the raiſing of the weekly ſum of 10000 *l.* laid upon the City, and the ſum ſo aſſeſſed ſhall be levyed upon them and their eſtates, where ever the ſame ſhall be found according to the ſaid Ordinance.

And whereas it is Ordered by the ſaid Ordinance, that the City of *London* ſhal have allowed unto them the ſum of three thouſand pounds a moneth, during the continuance thereof, for the diſcharge of their Watches,

Watches and Souldiers raised by them, and in their pay out of the weekly sum of 10000 *l.* laid upon them. It is now further Ordained, that the sum of 3000 *l.* more shall be monethly allowed unto them out of the said weekly sum for the purposes aforesaid, and for the providing of Arms and Ammunition, and raising of Fortifications, and other incident charges: So that the whole allowance to be made unto them every moneth, during the continuance of the said Ordinance, is to be 6000 *l.* to be paid to the Committee for the *Militia* of the said City.

Hen. Elsynge, Cler. Parl. D. Com.

Die Sabbathi, 4. Martii, 1642.

WHereas it is ordained in the Ordinance for the weekly Assessment, That if any person or persons shall finde him or themselves agrieved, that he or they is or are over rated, such person or persons at any time before distress taken of his or their goods, may complain to the respective Committees, who have executed this Ordinance within the division or limit, where any such person or persons over rated shall be Assessed; which said respective Committees, or any two of them, shall have power upon Examination to relieve such person or persons as they shall see cause; yet the true intent and meaning of the said Ordinance is, And it is further Ordered by the Lords and Commons, That if any person or persons so finding themselves agrieved, be such as have not formerly contributed upon the Propositions, or not proportionably to others of their Estates, nor have been rated and paid upon the Ordinance of Assessment, entituled, An Ordinance for the assessing and rating of such as have not contributed at all, or not contributed according to the proportions of their estates; Then the said parties, if they be not assessed above a portionable part of such sum or sums as other men of their ability have paid upon the Propositions, or have been assessed, and have paid upon the said Ordinance of not exceeding the twentieth part, The said rates to stand, and not to be altered: Provided nevertheless, that no person be assessed above the sum of ten pounds the Week.

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Die Lunæ, 27. *Martii*, 1643.

WHereas in the Ordinance of both Houſes of Parliament for the raiſing of a weekly contribution for the maintenance of the Army raiſed by the Parliament, the names of divers perſons were omitted to the Committees for the Counties of *Hartford, Kent, Somerſet, Suffolk, Bedford, Surrey, Dorſet, Suſſex, Norfolk*; Be it ordained that Sir *John Garret* Baronet, Sir *John Read* Baronet, Norton Gravely Eſquire, Doctor King Doctor in Phyſick, ſhall be added to the Committees named for the ſaid County of Hartford: And Sir Robert Moniwood, and Sir Peter Godfrey, Knights; Richard Brown, Robert Scot, William Iames, and Mare Dixivel, Eſquires, ſhall be added to the Committees named for the ſaid County of Kent: And Hugh Rogers, Iohn Aſh, Iohn Pyne, Clement Walker, and Robert Blagh, Eſquires, ſhall be added to the Committees named for the ſaid County of Somerſet: And Sir Edward Bacon Knight and Baronet, Sir Buts Bacon Baronet, Sir Robert Brook, Sir William Soam, Sir Edward Duke, Knights; Brampto Gurden, Wiſeman Bokenham, Iſaac Apleton, Henry North jun. Robert Reynold, Eſquires; Thomas Cole, Richard Pepys, Nathanael Bacon *de* Ipſwich, Iohn Clinch ſen. Iohn Clinch of Culphere, Nicholas Rivet of Dringſton, Gibſon Lucas, Eſq; the Aldermen of Bury St. Edmunds, and Thomas Chapman Eſq; Thomas Iohnſon of Aldbrough Gent. ſhall be added to the Committees named for the ſaid County of Suffolk: And Sir Thomas Alſton Knight and Baronet, Sir Roger Burgoyn Knight, Thomas Rolt, Humphrey Monox, William Duncomb, Iohn Vaux, Humphrey Fiſh, Iohn Neal, Oliver Boteler, the Major for the time being, and Dr. Baniſter Doctor in Phyſick, ſhall be added to the Committees named for the ſaid County of Bedford: Sir Thomas Grimes, Sir Iohn Greſham, Sir Iohn Lenthal, Sir Iohn Maynard, Knights, Charls Hoskins, Edward Biſh ſenior, Edward Biſh junior, Edward Bagſhaw, Iohn White, Robert Goodwyn, Iohn Turner, Edmund Sanders, Hermond Atwood, Eſquires, ſhall be added to the Committees named for the ſaid County of Surrey: And Richard Roſe, Thomas Ceely, Iohn Henley, William Sydenham jun. Eſquires, ſhall be added to the Committees named for the ſaid County of Dorſet: And Sir Iohn Chapman Knight, Anthony Fowl, Laurence Archburham, Thomas Middleton, Peter Farneden, Iohn Busbridge, Stephen Humphrey, Thomas Collins, Captain Carlton, Captain Everden, Edward Higgons, William Cawley, Robert Spence, Eſquires, ſhall be added to the Committees named for the ſaid County of Suſſex: And Sir Edward Berkham Baronet, Sir Thomas Gandy, Sir Edward Aſhtly, Sir Thomas Guibon, Knights; Thomas Ruſſel, Iohn Walpool, Robert Wilton, Robert Iermy, Iohn Guibon, Robert Shepheard, Philip Calthorp, Eſquires, ſhall be added to the Committees named for the ſaid County of Norfolk; which perſons herein named, ſhall be Committees for the ſeveral Counties aforeſaid, and ſhall have the ſame Power and Authority in the reſpective Counties for which they are nominated, as the other Committees therein named are thereby to have.

ORdered by the Lords and Commons aſſembled in Parliament, That this Ordinance be forthwith Printed and Publiſhed.

H: Elſynge, Cler. Parl. D. Com.

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